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Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:



Transmitted herewith are the following papers in the above-identified application:

Amendment and Response to Office Action.

The additional fee is calculated as shown below:

					SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDIT. FEE	RATE	ADDIT. FEE
TOTAL		MINUS	20		x 9		x18	\$
INDEP.		MINUS	3		x43		x86	\$
FIRST PRESENTATION OF  MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS					+145		+290	\$
			TOTAL ADDITIONA	AL FEE				

Petition for One-Month Extension of Time.

Check for \$55.00 for small entity is enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR §1.16, or credit any

overpayment, to Account No. 19-5029. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed October 6, 2004, please amend the application as follows and consider the application in view of the following remarks.

A Petition for an Extension of Time for one-month to December 6, 2004, is enclosed, along a check in the amount of \$55.00 to cover the fee for a small entity for the petition.

The Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.

Certificate of Mailing Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.8(a)

I hereby certify that this paper, along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed, is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on <u>December 6, 2004</u>, with sufficient postage as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Kevin W. King